



[hot koki »](#)



Botswana's Get Up and Go Tour to fight HIV

december 1, 2010 – 12:22 pm | [add a comment](#)

On the occasion of World Aids Day, the 1st of December, some of Botswana's most popular hip hop artists joined in the Get Up and Go Tour, a campaign traveling around the country to inspire an HIV-free generation. MC/Poet Toni Blackman, the official U.S. Hip Hop Ambassador, reports from Botswana in this new series.

[Read the full story »](#)

african hip hop radio »



African Hip Hop Radio
September 2010
september, 2010



African hip hop radio: the World Cup edition
june, 2010



The Return of African Hip Hop Radio
may, 2010



Sugu, HHP, Geoffy G, M.anifest, Shenzy
december, 2009



Burni Aman (Godessa)
october, 2009



Meta Dia

february 26, 2011 – 6:30 pm | [news & reviews](#) | [add a comment](#)

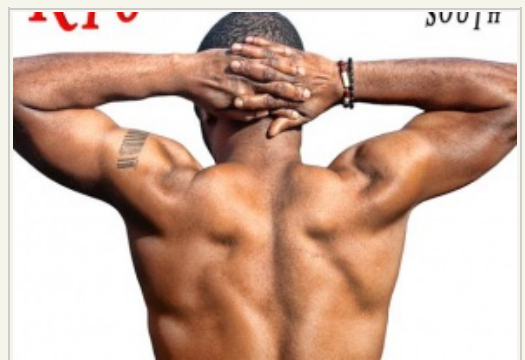


Senegalese singer Meta Dia grew up in Dakar listening to Gregory Isaacs, Bob Marley, James Brown and Senegalese traditional music on the radio. At a very young age he discovered his desire to be a musician, and over the next several years he nurtured his love and true appreciation for all types of music.

[Read more »](#)

DOWNLOADS »

K16 – Tribute To The South EP



In our article about Nigerian rap in the 1980's and early 90's published last year, Emphasis were mentioned. One of them, the artist formerly known as Mouth MC, is making a comeback as a solo ...

[More articles »](#)

MUSIC VIDEOS »

Beazy – Bad Guy Ft. Shank & Chykay

Beazy is a breath of fresh air, or I would say sound. Here is his latest video featuring Shank and Chykay directed by Oshodi. He has put out a couple of mixtapes and the latest ...

[More articles »](#)

Akua Naru

february 6, 2011 – 5:44 am | [news & reviews](#) | [add a comment](#)

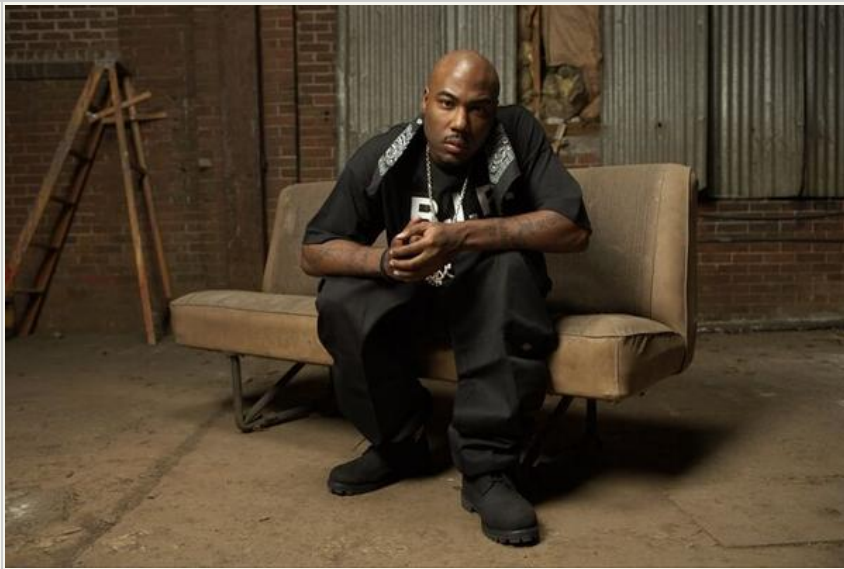


Born Latanya Hinton and raised in New Haven (USA), Akua Naru's journey to internationally acclaimed hip hop artist has led her from the city's Newhallville section to Cologne, Germany where she currently resides and creates music.

[Read more »](#)

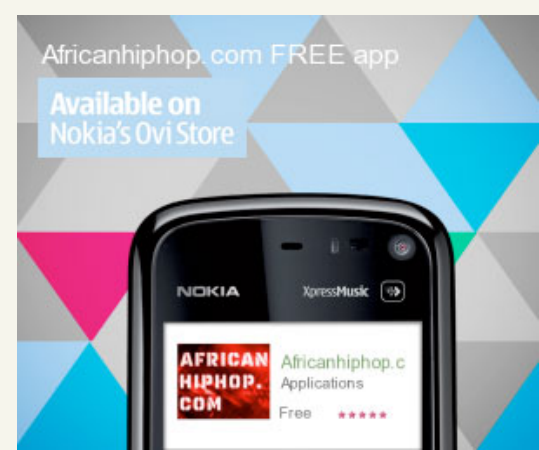
100% African: I-20s video reppin' the motherland connection

february 2, 2011 – 10:55 pm | [music videos](#) | [add a comment](#)



You may have come across the occasional [forum topic](#) trying to identify American artists who were born in Africa, or whose parents came from Africa. The obvious inclusions like Akon, Jean Grae, Wale and Nipsey Hussle often also includes some 'rumoured' African born emcees and those who are not generally presented as 'African rapper' like Papoose and Chamillionaire. And despite the first wave of Afrocentrism in hip hop in the late 80s, until recently there were few emcees who felt the urge or even had the courage to make a track about their heritage.

[Read more »](#)



NEW IN THE AFRICAN HIP HOP FORUMS

- ✦ [eljodi](#) in: Battle rhymes » NOT MORE THAN TEN WORDZ DISS THE PERSON ABOVE YOU
- ✦ [thaddaeus](#) in: Poetry / spoken word » Reflections
- ✦ [Juma4](#) in: Swahili hip hop » MC's in America spitting in Swahili
- ✦ [Gimalaev](#) in: Battle rhymes » Russian Rap
- ✦ [StreetDrama-RAZ](#) in: Cameroon hip hop » uniting ideas for a hip hop tv show
- ✦ [Stevie Thunder](#) in: Swahili hip hop » MC's in America spitting in Swahili
- ✦ [donsaint](#) in: Nigerian hip hop » NAIJA MUSIC MOVEMENT 'HIT SONG OF THE WEEK'
- ✦ [730promo](#) in: African Hip Hop Promos, Links & Collabos » ***Chronic - Do 4 Love New Video***
- ✦ [mr rehd](#) in: African Hip Hop Promos, Links & Collabos » mr rehd's music on myspace
- ✦ [tha high priest](#) in: Poetry / spoken word » Reflections

WE LOVE AFRICAN HIP HOP



179 likes. [Sign Up](#) to see what your frie

www.facebook.com/africanhh

Shad at Manifesto

january 30, 2011 | [news & reviews](#) | [add a comment](#)



Shad, real name Shadrach Kabango, was born in Kenya to Rwandan parents and is a bright, up-and-coming emcee from the city of London, Ontario (Canada). Early last summer

our reporter Onerebelgun went to Manifesto which

...

M.anifest: Coming to America

january 29, 2011 | [news & reviews](#) | [add a comment](#)



Based in Minneapolis, M.anifest is an mc representing Ghana, Accra whose fame spread rapidly over the past few years through his solo releases as well as his work

with Krukid and collabos with the likes ...

TRANSLATOR



MOST VIEWED

- ✦ Nigerian rap: the first decade (1981 – 1991) - 15,629 views
- ✦ Mata – Miss phat booty - 12,102 views
- ✦ AfricanHipHop Mixtape – The Sequel (2009) - 7,563 views
- ✦ Ali Kiba without autotune - 6,451 views
- ✦ JJC – We are Africans - 6,022 views

FELA live stream & afterparty

january 9, 2011 | [news & reviews](#) | [add a comment](#)



Coming thursday (Jan 13), Tuschinsky theater in Amsterdam, Netherlands will show a live stream of the FELA musical being performed in London. If you followed the news and blogs over the past months you'll be aware ...

Gery Mendes (GMB) – Mr Entity

january 1, 2011 | [news & reviews](#) | [one comment](#)



You may have seen the signs already: 2011 promises to be a good year for African hip hop. While there are many exciting releases, tours and pan African collabos lined up for the

coming months ...

Sitowasahau

november 19, 2010 | [music videos](#) | [4 comments](#)



From the stronghold of hip hop in Tanzania, the city of Arusha, comes 'Sitowasahau' (Swahili for 'I won't forget them'), the new video and single by JCB with a chorus by John

Massangwa. The first ...

Papa Wemba meets Nouchi Nash

september 22, 2010 | [music videos](#) | [one comment](#)



Collabo of the year? Congolese music veteran Papa Wemba teams up with 'Nouchi' Nash from Ivory Coast in the crossover tune 'Sapologie'. The title is a reference to Papa Wemba having been at the head of the Congolese SAPE movement (Society of Elegant People). Nash, who looks like forever 17, is well known from Gbonhi Yoyo who blew up on the Abidjan scene a couple of years ago together with female emcee Prisca, and she featured on Mokobe's album 'Mon Afrique'.

FRESK – Prenons l'afrique en main

january 7, 2011 | [downloads, music videos](#) | [one comment](#)

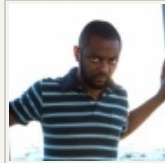


(including a gig ...

Fans of Fredy Massamba have had a good year as in 2010 the short singer with the big voice from Congo-Brazza was all over, releasing a solo album, performing with Congo Groove

K16 – Free Me Jor

december 14, 2010 | [news & reviews](#) | [add a comment](#)



Emphasis recorded hit songs ...

You are bound to remember him from our article on 1980s / early 90s Nigerian rap: Mouth Mc is one-third of the late 1980s group Emphasis. The trio known together as

Champagne and Rum

october 31, 2010 | [downloads](#) | [3 comments](#)



reintroduced A-Q to the Nigerian hiphop ...

Nigerian rap artist Gilbert Ubani, best known as A-Q, has followed up his controversial single 'names' with a dance track produced by the twin duo known as E-Twinz. 'Names'

Conscious Senegalese rap is not dead

september 9, 2010 | [music videos](#) | [4 comments](#)



and Thiat in the congested urban setting of Dakar. Flagship group of the movement of decentralization / de-Dakarisation in Senegal, Thiat and Kilifeu remain the two only rappers in Senegal who did jail time for denouncing acts of corruption.

Keur Gui of Kaolack is back with a gem of a video. Directed by Senegalese new school crew Gelongal, the video 'Coup 2 Gueule' ('Let's Act on our Words') features Kilifeu

@AFRICANHIPHOP

follow »

TAGS

1980s afrobeat AQ awards belgium benin bet hip hop awards big ali blitz block jam bongo flava boogie breakdance canada cape town cape verde congo cypher diaspora download film Francais france Ghana interview ivory coast kenya nairobi netherlands new york nigeria old school radio reggae sape senegal south africa swahili tanzania uganda uk usa video zanzibar zimbabwe

Page 1 of 8

1

2

3

4

5

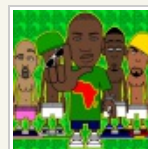
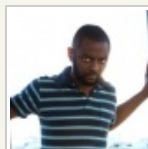
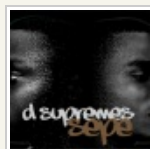
»

...

Last »

african hip hop videos

random posts



partner site: thisisafrica

Africa to represent Eurovision Norway with "Haba Haba"

Download Don't Smoke The Cigarette, by The GTW

"Kawa", the surprisingly funky, groovy new single from Blu3's Lilian Mbabazi

Cynthia Mare's Valentine's Day treat

How NOT to fight corruption

P-Square & 2Face with hit No. 5, 'Possibility'

Oliver Mtukudzi classic "Neria" performed by Cynthia Mare

partner site: africa unsigned

MTKIDU- In Your Hood

Free Tickets to Mulatu Astatke in the Melkweg

Richard the Third supports...

Neema Video Diary - New African Soul Event

MTKIDU- Twitter Interview

South African workshops: Teamuncool & Onexus

"Let's stay together" for Gert and Saskia

It's valentine's day, artist Sage shares the love!

partner site: afriPOP magazine

Get to Know Ugandan reggae singer Jaque

African Celebs Building Empires

Wanlov the Kubolor feat Shocka – Horogozov (Ananse's What Did He Say Mix)

5 Minutes with Congolese-Belgian Emcee, Baloji

9 African Models Who Rocked The Runway in 2010

AfriPOP! review: MTV Africa Music Awards 2010, Lagos

10 Nigerians to watch in 2011